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### FOREIGN.

#### Russia.

**FIRE AND FORTIFICATION.**  
National Associated Press to the Star.  
ST. PETERSBURG, July 26.—Russia has decided to build a fortified naval port on the eastern coast of Siberia.

A serious fire occurred in the Kremlin at Moscow yesterday.

#### Germany.

**BURIAL OF THE BISHOP.**  
BERLIN, July 26.—The Bishop of Paderborn's funeral took place yesterday at Paderborn. There was a great demonstration, but it passed off without any disturbance.

The Emperor of Germany and Austria will probably meet shortly.

#### Great Britain.

##### LOUISIANA'S SCALDING DEBT.

LONDON, July 26.—At a meeting of the Council of Foreign Bondholders, which met yesterday, Hyde Clarke, president, the question of the scaling of the debt of Louisiana, proposed by the managers of the Louisiana Loan, was considered. The whole subject was discussed, and the arguments advanced in favor of this virtual repudiation on the part of Louisiana were taken up seriously and given all due consideration. Finally a resolution was adopted directing the Chairman of the Council to send a cable dispatch to the President of the Constitutional Convention at New Orleans pointing out the danger which would follow from the scaling of Louisiana by repudiation, which the measures pending before the Convention propose.

#### France.

##### INUNDATIONS THREATENED.

PARIS, July 26.—The Seine and the Oise are rising rapidly and inundations are feared in the departments all along both rivers. The Prefects are in constant communication with the Minister of the Interior, and he has already been asked to strengthen bridges.

#### GOTHAM GOSSIP.

##### MEDITATING REVENGE.

National Associated Press to the Star.  
NEW YORK, July 26.—It is reported that certain Jews have determined upon a plan of retaliation upon the managers of Manhattan Beach for their action in prohibiting the Israelites from visiting the beach. The scheme is to organize daily excursions of negroes from the city, whose expenses will be paid by a fund subscribed by the indignant Jews. By advertising and shrewd tactics it is expected large parties of negroes can be sent there daily.

##### AN OLD WOMAN'S BITE.

On the 18th of July David Mitchell, aged twenty-nine, was admitted to the Brooklyn Hospital. He was bitten on the hand by an aged woman, whom he was attending as a nurse, and lockjaw was feared. On the 24th he became delirious, and later had symptoms of tetanus, or lockjaw.

He has partly recovered now, but is still very nervous, and at times talks in a dazed and unconscious sort of way. One of the old woman's daughters is said to have died of a disease similar to Mitchell's, and which was contracted from the bite of a child three years old.

The child was suffering from lockjaw, and the mother, while putting her fingers into its mouth to prevent its jaws closing, received the fatal bite.

##### GAMBLING BY TELEPHONE.

It is reported that the gambling houses in Capt. Williams' precinct are connected by telephone, and that this precaution on the part of the proprietors defeated the carefully planned raid Thursday night.

##### PLEASANT WEATHER.

The thermometer to-day at 6 a. m. indicated 60°; at 9 a. m. 67°; and at noon 68°.

#### Mormons in Colorado.

##### Special to the Star.

LEAVENWORTH, KAN., July 26.—A gentleman just from Conejos County, Colorado, states that there are two flourishing Mormon towns, Manassa and Ephraim, in that County. The cities are built in thirty-two blocks centering to a public square, and 1,000 acres of land are cut up into ten-acre lots, divided among the settlers according to the number of their families.

The streets are six rods wide, and water for irrigation purposes is brought by ditch one and a quarter miles, from the junction of Conejos and San Antonio Rivers, the fall being six feet to the mile. Erastus Prow, one of the twelve apostles at Salt Lake, will in person accompany thirty families from there to Ephraim, where it is their intention to locate. They are building mills and tanneries.

#### Late Sporting Notes.

##### National Associated Press to the Star.

SARATOGA, July 26.—The first race, for a purse of \$900, one mile and a furlong, was won to-day by Bramble, Minter second. Time—2:09. In the betting Bramble sold at \$900 and Minter \$150.

The second race, handicap sweepstakes, mile and a half, was won by Checkmate, Belle second. Time—2:40.

NEW YORK, July 26.—The races at Brighton Beach have been postponed till Monday next on account of the storm.

#### The Queen's Navy.

##### National Associated Press to the Star.

HALIFAX, N. S., July 26.—A private letter received in this city states that it is almost certain that Vice Admiral Sir Francis McClintock will succeed Admiral Ingfield on this station, and that his flagship will be the Northampton. Sir Francis is a highly distinguished officer, having received the honor of knighthood for his services in the Arctic regions in 1857, when he discovered the remains of Sir John Franklin's expedition.

#### Shot the Wrong Coon.

##### Special to the Star.

SHREVEPORT, LA., July 26.—Mr. Gus P. Antley, a farmer, living near Natchitoches, went to take his gun down from a peg to shoot some coons, when it accidentally went off. The whole heavy charge tore away Antley's shoulder, inflicting an awful wound.

#### Sir John Has sailed.

##### National Associated Press to the Star.

QUEBEC, July 26.—Sir John Macdonald drove down to the Allen steamer this morning and took passage for England. There was no demonstration. Sir Alexander Galt accompanies him, and will remain in Europe.

### CONTAGION'S CURSE

#### Drops Down in all Its Dread Upon Doomed Memphis.

#### Eleven New Cases and Four Deaths Reported To-Day.

#### The Police Provided With Arms.

##### Special to the Star.

MEMPHIS, July 26.—2 P. M.—Ten new cases have been reported since noon, Carrie Ashbrook, J. M. Ashbrook, Mary Burns, Mary Mulbrandon, Daniel Creeden, Fritz Wheeler, Lee Wherrum, Michael Holly, Mack White and George White. Two deaths are reported unofficially.

One hundred stand of arms were stored over the station-house this morning for the use of the special police. PICKETT.

##### MEMPHIS, July 26.—Noon.—The city is full of subdued excitement this morning, though the death rate and number of new cases is small. Two deaths are reported, Ed. Flatley and Miss Lizzie Meath, and one new case, that of Willie Hawkins. The weather is close and warm. Colonel Cameron is making complete arrangements for the public safety.

An important citizens' meeting was held this morning and a committee of safety, composed of twenty-six of the best citizens, was appointed. Their names are as follows: D. T. Porter, J. S. Prentiss, A. D. Langstaff, Rev. W. E. Bagg, Rev. S. Landrum, Eugene Ledy, A. S. Livermore, R. W. Mitchell, W. W. Hatcher, W. T. D. Daltzell, Marcus Jones, John P. Hoffman, C. F. Goodyear, W. J. Chase, C. B. Galloway, John Johnson, John League, W. W. Speers, S. H. Read, T. B. Cook, T. H. Milburn, J. C. McCabe, James Hass, R. T. Brown, C. W. Gower, and M. Burke. It was ordered to take a census of all in the city with a view to ascertaining their wants. The site of the camp has been selected at Williams Point, a few miles from the city, but protests have been entered by people in the vicinity. But one outlet remains open, and that is by the way of Nashville. Trouble is hourly expected now. PICKETT.

##### National Associated Press to the Star.

#### THIS MORNING AT MEMPHIS.

MEMPHIS, July 26.—9 A. M.—The weather this morning is hot, damp and oppressively sultry. The sick are under much better control and the disease continues to exhibit much less violent symptoms. Many doctors declare the fever only bilious or remittent, and declare the scare all uncalculated. No more boats will be sent out with passengers, as the quarantines are so strict there is no place for them to go. But one train a day goes out on the Louisville Railroad and trains on the P. & M. and the Mississippi and Tennessee roads have ceased altogether.

Nine other new cases, making ten new cases and ten deaths in all, closed the official report yesterday.

#### CASES IN NEW YORK.

NEW YORK, July 26.—Last night the physicians who were left to watch the house in Nineteenth street in which the woman Johanna Brennan died from yellow fever yesterday, reported that Mr. Fitzgibbon and his wife were also suffering from the dread disease and not likely to recover.

#### TWO NEW CASES AT LOUISVILLE.

LOUISVILLE, July 26.—Mrs. Elizabeth Pomeroy and her son Matthew, aged nine years, came from Memphis Monday, and were taken with yellow fever last night. They were removed to the Yellow Fever Hospital, where the lady is in a critical condition.

#### SHREVEPORT, TENN.

SHREVEPORT, TENN., July 26.—The quarantine has been made much more rigid here. Mr. Teller, the Memphis refugee with yellow fever, is worse.

#### A MORE RIGID QUARANTINE.

ST. LOUIS, July 26.—No more passengers from Memphis or other infected points will be allowed to land here. The quarantine, which had been a modified one, is now made more rigid, totally excluding all persons from infected localities.

#### Cincinnati.

The low boat Etna, from Louisville, passed the Delhi quarantine station last night at 10 o'clock in good sanitary condition.

Dr. Minor is still under the impression that Mrs. Kelly is not afflicted with yellow fever, but her case will be watched closely.

The Newport Board of Councilmen met last night for the purpose of establishing a quarantine against southern passengers and freight. The District Physicians were appointed to co-operate with Dr. Minor in examining all persons coming in over the Short-Line Road. A Board of Health will be established next week.

The Laura Lee, from New Orleans, arrived at the Quarantine this morning at 8 o'clock with but very few passengers, and about all of whom were in good healthy condition. She was thoroughly disinfected and came on to the city. A lot of Memphis rags she had on board was transferred to a barge and anchored out in the river.

The following was read at the Health Office this morning:

MEMPHIS, July 26.—10:45 A. M.

Dr. T. L. Minor, Health Officer:

Ten cases and ten deaths since 9 a. m. yesterday.

R. W. MITCHELL.

A quarantine against both steamboats and trains was established at Lawrenceburg this morning.

#### COMMONWEALTH CURRENTS.

#### Kuikknucks Knocked Together In Old Kentucky.

##### Special to the Star.

HICKMAN, July 26.—Hickman was again visited by fire last night. The fine residence of Dr. Watson was totally destroyed by the flames. Loss, \$2,000. It was partially insured. Nearly everything in the house was saved.

HENDERSON, July 26.—The negro woman, Matt Adams, who killed a physician in Calhoun and escaped from jail, came near saving out a second time, and has been sent to the jail at this place.

#### CANTON, July 26.—Frank Angel, of Rockcastle, threw a rock at his bull-dog, and was attacked by the dog, his clothes torn

off and his body gashed and chewed from head to foot.

#### STANFORD, July 26.—The examining trial of Mrs. Gooch, Mrs. Walls and Henry Falkenburg, for the poisoning of George Gooch, has been again postponed, and a post-mortem examination of the body and a thorough analysis of the viscera ordered. Falkenburg having attempted to make his escape, has been placed in jail, while two men keep unceasing guard over the women. The next attempt at a trial will be on the 6th of August.

#### VERSAILLES, July 26.—It is probable that Henry Shrewsbury, colored, under sentence of death for killing Hulda Rice in this place two years ago, and who escaped from jail last winter, has been captured in Texas. A detective reports.

#### ELIZABETHTOWN, July 26.—Constable Jerry Jeffries brought here and lodged in jail last evening Buck Hayden, a negro boy about seventeen years old, on a charge of assault with intent to commit a rape on Miss Alice Thixton, of Louisville.

#### Trouble at Quebec.

##### National Associated Press to the Star.

QUEBEC, July 26.—The excitement in the city over the dismissal of Lieutenant Governor Letellier is intense. The feeling against Lord Lorne and Sir John McDonald among the lower orders is very strong, and a riot is apprehended. The latter today, when the latter sails for England. It is said an indignation mass-meeting will be held this evening. Mr. Letellier will vacate the State residence immediately.

#### New York Stock Report.

The following shows the range of quotations and the amount of sales to-day at the New York Stock Exchange, reported by Lea, Street & Co., 26 West Third street:

	Opening.	High.	Low.	Closing.	Net Change.
W. Union	90	90 1/2	90	90	0
Pacific Mail	14 1/2	14 1/2	14 1/2	14 1/2	0
N. Y. Cent.	20 1/2	20 1/2	20 1/2	20 1/2	0
Del. & West.	20 1/2	20 1/2	20 1/2	20 1/2	0
Erie R.R.	20 1/2	20 1/2	20 1/2	20 1/2	0
Lake Shore	78 1/2	78 1/2	78 1/2	78 1/2	0
Clev. & Pitt.	99 1/2	99 1/2	99 1/2	99 1/2	0
Northwestern	71 1/2	71 1/2	71 1/2	71 1/2	0
Rock Island	69 1/2	69 1/2	69 1/2	69 1/2	0
St. Paul	90 1/2	90 1/2	90 1/2	90 1/2	0
do pref.	90 1/2	90 1/2	90 1/2	90 1/2	0
Wabash	36 1/2	36 1/2	36 1/2	36 1/2	0
Ohio & Miss.	16 1/2	16 1/2	16 1/2	16 1/2	0
Union Pacific	71 1/2	71 1/2	71 1/2	71 1/2	0
Fort Wayne	19 1/2	19 1/2	19 1/2	19 1/2	0
Ind. & St. L.	10 1/2	10 1/2	10 1/2	10 1/2	0
Mich. Central	8 1/2	8 1/2	8 1/2	8 1/2	0
Chicago & Alton	6 1/2	6 1/2	6 1/2	6 1/2	0
C. & C. & I.	5 1/2	5 1/2	5 1/2	5 1/2	0
Del. & Hudson	45 1/2	45 1/2	45 1/2	45 1/2	0
Mor. & Essex	9 1/2	9 1/2	9 1/2	9 1/2	0

Total shares reported sold—

#### BANK STATEMENT.

The following is the New York bank statement for the week ending Saturday, July 26th:

Loans, decrease	\$2,137,500
Specie, increase	2,773,500
Legal tenders, increase	3,228,500
Deposits, decrease	17,900
Circulation, increase	17,900
Reserve, decrease	2,887,925

#### INVESTIGATING COMMITTEE.

#### Examination of Witnesses at the Grand Hotel.

Joseph Nolan, the first witness sworn this morning, stated that he lived on Front street, between Race and Elm, at the time of the election. The Marsha at his present were Messrs. Morgan and Miller, and that on the morning of the election Morgan sent a messenger to him requesting to see him.

He responded, and made an agreement with Morgan to hold tickets during the day for \$2. The tickets which he held were Republican tickets, and he was afterwards paid the money promised. He was also told by Mr. Connell, one of the Supervisors, that he would give him a sum of money for his services, and that he would be paid for his services on election day. He was generally holding tickets either for one side or the other.

During the election day in question he brought up two negroes to vote, but when some Irishmen, who were standing by, saw that he had brought them, they began to talk in a threatening manner. Deputy Marshal Miller, however, stepped out to him and told him not to be afraid, for if he was taken in he would not be taken in by the Irishmen. He then told him to go on and vote for the Republican ticket, and that he would be paid for his services.

In answer to Mr. Butler's question, he stated that he voted against Sawyer because Sawyer had opposed the interest of Irishmen, and that he voted for Butlerworth policy and not for money.

John E. McGinnahan was next called, and stated that he resided on Deliber street and was present at the South Front street Twenty-second Ward, and saw Messrs. Pfeiffer and Wegelin, whom it was rumored were acting as Deputy Marshals at that place. He did not see the Marshals holding tickets or election money, or doing anything but standing around.

At this point Mr. Birnbaum was recalled, and gave a list of the Deputy Marshals, to which he was standing by, and that he was engaged, what changes were made during the day, and to what precincts the Marshals were changed.

Charles Cook, doing business on the corner of Fifth and Sixth streets, was next called, and testified that he knew a man named Weidman who burglarized his place several years ago, but whether it was the man who acted as Deputy Marshal he did not know.

Chief of Police Wapenstien, the next witness, testified that he had been connected with the police force for nine years and knew several of the Deputy Marshals. Mr. Hornberger was dismissed from the force, but for what reason he did not know.

Gus Colcher was a dead beat and had been arrested for killing a man. Colcher was connected with the American Detective Association for six months, which was a bogus organization. Mr. Leaper had been in the W. and A. and he believed in the Penitentiary also. He was once a substitute on the police force, but was discharged.

John M. Hanson produced the records of the Police Commissioners to show that Mr. Hornberger had been dismissed for assaulting ladies.

John Mullony testified respecting some trouble on election day in the Second Ward.

Louis C. Knappke testified that after the polls closed he was at the Second Precinct of the Third Ward, and that Thomas Buchanan told him upon inquiry that he was a Marshal. Buchanan was engaged in counting the votes in the company with the Judges and Supervisor, and at the occasion ordered the clerk to add twenty votes additional for Zornstein and Montgomery. The clerk did so, and gave the same directions to the Democratic clerk, who also added the votes. One of the Supervisors had been taken home drunk, and was drunk on the doornep.

#### \$4,800.

#### Isaac Cunningham Charged With Embezzling His Partner's Money.

A week ago last Friday Officers Kushman and Anderson arrested a man named Isaac Cunningham for carrying concealed weapons. He was held for several days, when Hilary Bedford, of Bourbon County, Ky., made his appearance and charges Cunningham with the embezzlement of \$4,800. It seems that in May last Bedford, who had the capital, and Cunningham went to Texas to buy cattle.

At Dallas Bedford gave Cunningham the \$4,800 to deposit in the bank in his (Bedford's) name. Instead of depositing it in Bedford's name he deposited it in his own name. He then purchased New York exchange with it, and coming to this city had it cashed at the Third National Bank. Cunningham claims that after drawing the money he lost it somewhere about the corner of Fifth and Vine streets. In the Police Court this morning he was fined \$25 for carrying the pistol, and the charge of being a fugitive from justice will be heard next Monday.

#### HEAD CHOPPING.

#### New Appointments by the City Commissioners.

The City Commissioners this morning went into executive session, and after about an hour's deliberation reported the following changes in the various departments under their control.

#### ENGINEER'S DEPARTMENT.

Wm. P. Thompson, Assistant Engineer, in place of H. J. Stanley.

Wm. Beech, Sewerage Engineer, in place of A. S. Hobbs.

Robert Walton, draughtsman, to fill vacancy made by W. P. Thompson.

Geo. Campbell, S. J. Wilson, Wm. Galbraith, Joseph Klumper, P. J. Kelly appointed rodmen.

Wm. Nepper and Wm. Reilly designated.

#### STREET-CLEANING DEPARTMENT.

Assistant Superintendents—H. J. Meyer, Pat. McKown and Thos. Moroz, take the place of J. Fitzpatrick, J. H. Burke and James Logan.

Thomas Higgins, harness maker, in place of Pat. Essinger.

#### WATERWORKS DEPARTMENT.

John B. Hall, Receiver, in place of C. L. Bowman.

H. M. Leighton, Book-keeper, in place of Chas. Zimmer.

G. Bradshaw, Jr., Surveyor, in place of C. Zoth.

Wm. Ward, Paymaster, in place of Captain Johnson.

Max Isbach and Levi Conn take the places of M. Buchanan and H. R. Hayward as inspectors.

Larkin McElough, Supervisor of Repairs (new office).

All the above appointments take place August 1st, 1879.

#### County Commissioners.

The County Commissioners held a regular meeting to-day, and allowed the usual monthly bills. A few tax refunders were also allowed.

Bids for the repair of county work were opened as follows:

For rebuilding the abutment of a bridge over the Canal at Ross avenue.

For the approaches to the bridge over the Little Miami River at Remington.

Approach to bridge over the Little Miami at Miami.

Rebuilding south abutment of bridge over Millrun, near Camden City.

Superstructure of Neely Bridge, Symmes Township.

Iron superstructure of a bridge over Dry Fork.

Protection for east abutment of iron bridge at Red Bank.

Repairs to approach to the Union Bridge at the Turkey Bottom Road.

#### Supposed Suicide.

A married woman, named Wilder, about fifty-five years of age, who had been living with her husband, a machinist, in Riverside, about a square and a half below the street railroad stopping place, died suddenly a few days before last under suspicious circumstances. She had been ill only a short time, and it is thought that she committed suicide, as it is alleged that some paragon green was discovered in her hand when she died. The Coroner has been notified, and will investigate the case.

#### City Commissioners.

The Superintendent of the Street Cleaning Department was authorized to place the Twenty-fifth Ward in good sanitary condition at once by the distribution of lime wherever needed.

The claim of George Bogen, Jr., & Co., for damages amounting to \$1,500, caused by overflow to their property on Wade street, was not paid, and any claim for damages will have to be contested in the courts.

#### CIRCLE OF CITIES.

#### News Notes Gleaned and Garnered by Star Special Reporters.

#### Pittsburg.

MISER DIES OF CHOLERA—SUDDEN DEATH OF JAMES THORN.

Special to the Star.

PITTSBURG, July 26.—The old German miser, named John August, who died here of sporadic cholera, lived in dirt and misery, and died worth \$1,500 cash.

James Thorn, a prominent iron merchant, died of apoplexy last night while stepping off a train.

#### St. Louis.

SEIZURE OF SHOVELS—COFF COMES BACK—WHITE FLOATER FOUND, ETC.

Special to the Star.

ST. LOUIS, July 26.—The Sheriff has seized on attachment some 600 shovels belonging to the Groom Shovel Company, and stored in the warehouse of Semple, Hays & Co.

Marshall Coff has returned from his Texas trip after Goldsall, weary and worn and empty-handed, never having got within five hundred miles of Goldsall during his absence.

Peter Kelly, who fell from the second story of his residence, on St. Louis avenue, last Saturday night, has just died from the effects of injuries received by the fall.

The body of a white male floater was found in the river near the foot of Scotland street this morning. Deceased is apparently about 30 years of age.

#### Louisville.

BAD OLD MAN—BOYBROTHERS' STRIKE—SPENT HIS MONEY FREE.

Special to the Star.

LOUISVILLE, July 26.—Yesterday John Schaefer, a man probably fifty years of age, was presented to the City Court on the charge of outraging Louisa Stump, a girl of fifteen.

The Stump family and C. W. Anderson collided at the wharftop in front of this city yesterday. The Fulton's Jack-staff and guards were damaged, but the Anderson was not injured.

The levee hands struck yesterday for 30 cents an hour, but finding they could not get it they resumed work again.

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